



Short Safety Subject

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www.bragg.army.mil/psbc-bm/PubsAndForms/ShortSafetySubjects.htm

Home Safety Checklist - Poisonings

INSTRUCTIONS: Use this checklists to conduct a hazard inspection in your home. Check each item YES, NO or N/A (not applicable).

Poisonings

YES N/A NO

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| _____ | _____ | _____ | 1. Do you keep household chemicals (drain cleaners, bleach, bug sprays etc.) stored out of reach and sight of small children? |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | 2. Do you keep drugs and medicines out of reach and sight of small children? |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | 3. Do all drugs, medicines and chemicals have "children-proof" caps and lids? |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | 4. Are out-dated drugs, medicines, cosmetics and other chemical products discarded regularly? |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | 5. Do you keep paint, paint thinner, pesticides and gasoline stored out of the house and away from heat and other ignition sources? |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | 6. Are alcoholic beverages out of reach and sight of children? |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | 7. Is mildew controlled through adequate air circulation and humidity control? |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | 8. Are you reasonably certain that your home is free of radon, formaldehyde and other toxic gases? |

Count up the "No" check marks. Each of these could result in an accident. The more "No" checks, the greater the risk.

DON'T BE SATISFIED UNTIL YOU HAVE A "NO" HOME!!